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In re the Application of: Thomas A. Skupien (inventor(s))

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(title)

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AMENDMENT E (37 C.F.R. § 1.111)

Sir:

This amendment is submitted in response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment mailed September 4, 2003, for the above-noted patent application. A copy of a change of correspondence address previously filed for this application is enclosed herewith.

Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner do the following with this amendment:

1. Please enter the amendments to the specification, if any, found in section I below.
2. Please enter the amendments to the claims, if any, found in section II below.
3. Please consider the specification amendments in section I and the claims listed in section II in view of the remarks in section III.